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SUBJ: OIL EXPLORATION PROPOSALS IN BANGLADESH

REF: DACCA 2000 (NOTAL)

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED COPIES FURTHER LETTERS FROM AHMED REZA, OFFICER ON SPECIAL DUTY (OIL EXPLORATION), MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES, IDENTICAL IN TEXT TO THAT GIVEN IN REFTEL FOR MESSAGES TO OFFSHORE EXPLORATION AND CLAYCO PETROLEUM CORPS. (FIRMS TO APPEAR FOR NEGOTIATIONS IN DEPTH RE PREVIOUS OIL EXPLORATION PROPOSALS).

2. NEW FIRMS ARE AS FOLLOWS, WITH NAME OF PARTY TO WHOM LETTER DIRECTED PLUS CITATION OF DATE OF PROPOSAL:

(A) DAVIS OIL CO., 1230 DENVER CLUB BLDG., DENVER COLO. 80202;

MR. HAL T SKOLNIK - JUNE 12, 1972;

(B) ARACCA PETROLEUM CORP., 225 BROADWAY, NEW YORK 10006;

MR. JACK L. LABOW, VICE PRES. - AUGUST 15, 1972;

(C) CONTINENTAL OVERSEAS OIL CO., HIGH RIDGE PARK, STAMFORD, CONN.

06904; MR. RICHARD H. HITTLE - OCTOBER 24, 1972;

(D) READING & BATES/ OFFSHORE DRILLING CO., PHILTOWER BLDG., TULSA,

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3. LETTERS ALL DATED MAY 4, 1973. PLEASE PASS TEXTS TO ABOVE OFFICIALS.

4. DAVIS AND ARACCA KNOWN TO EMBASSY BUT HAVE NEVER VISITED AND HERETOFORE NOT BELIEVED SERIOUS APPLICANTS (DACCA 1816). CONTINENTAL OVERSEAS WE HAD NEVER HEARD OF BEFORE. READING & BATES HAVE DRILLING CONTRACT OFFSHORE BURMA, WERE TO HAVE VISITED BUT NEVER SHOWED (STATE 4658). NONE OF FOREGOING INVITED TO SUBMIT PROPOSAL EXPLORE OFFSHORE INDIA (DELHI 4879).
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